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OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE  
Docket: 00PT01-20

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application:

MULTI - STEP LOCKING EYE CUP  
TWIST UP DEVICE

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Application No.: 10/629,241

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Art Unit: 2873

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Attention: Loha Ben

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2004, for which a  
shortened statutory period of three months has been set.

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:**

This response is submitted to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2004, for which a shortened statutory period of three months has been set. This response is being timely filed on December 21, 2004. This response addresses each of the objections and rejections in the office action.